

Thursday, May 30, 1996

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Monday, June 3, 1996, at 1:30 p.m.

### Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 9 public bills, H.R. 3553–3561 were introduced. **Page H5753**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2754, to approve and implement the OECD Shipbuilding Trade Agreement, amended (H. Rept. 104–524 Part II); and

H. Res. 445, providing for consideration of H.R. 3540, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997 (H. Rept. 104–601). **Page H5753**

**Journal:** By a yea-and-nay vote of 325 yeas to 66 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 199, the House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Wednesday, May 29. **Pages H5649–50**

**Member Sworn:** Representative-elect Earl Blumenauer presented himself in the well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker. **Page H5650**

**Committees to Sit:** The following committees and their subcommittees received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule: Agriculture, Commerce, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Government Reform and Oversight, International Relations, Judiciary, Resources, Small Business, Transportation and Infrastructure, Veterans' Affairs, and Select Intelligence. **Page H5655**

**Military Construction:** By a yea-and-nay vote of 369 yeas to 43 nays, Roll No. 201, the House passed H.R. 3517, making appropriations for mili-

tary construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997. **Pages H5659–74**

Rejected the Furse amendment that sought to eliminate funding for Spinelli Barracks or Taylor Barracks, Mannheim, Germany (rejected by a recorded vote of 121 yeas to 289 noes, Roll No. 200). **Pages H5669–73**

H. Res. 442, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote. **Pages H5655–59**

**Omnibus Civilian Science Authorization:** The House passed H.R. 3322, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for civilian science activities of the Federal Government. **Pages H5674–H5724**

**Agreed To:**

The Weldon of Florida amendment, as amended by the Sensenbrenner amendment, that increases funding for NASA research and program management including personnel and related costs, travel, and research operations support, and decreases funding for mission communication services, academic programs, and space communication services (agreed to by a recorded vote of 354 yeas to 60 noes, Roll No. 203); **Pages H5674–85**

The Gekas amendment, as modified, to establish a bi-agency working group between the National Weather Service and the Federal Aviation Administration to further assess the potential for the operational use of FAA weather radar data by the weather service, and to define the engineering considerations involved in implementing a data sharing link between the two. On Wednesday, May 29, the

House agreed to a similar unmodified amendment offered by Mr. Gekas; **Pages H5685–87**

The Wamp amendment, as modified, that increases funding for National Weather Service operations, research, and systems acquisition for warning and forecast systems and decreases funding for the polar-orbiting operational environmental satellite system program; **Pages H5701–04**

The Kennedy of Massachusetts amendment that removes the prohibition on funding authorized for indoor air research; **Pages H5709–10**

The Solomon amendment that denies grants and contracts to any institution of higher education that has an anti-ROTC policy; **Pages H5715–17**

The Brown of California amendment, as amended by the Morella amendment in the nature of a substitute that authorizes \$90 million for the National Institute of Standards Manufacturing Extension Partnerships program. **Pages H5717–24**

Rejected:

The Jackson-Lee amendment in the nature of a substitute to the agreed-to Weldon amendment that sought to increase funding for NASA research and program management, including personnel and related costs, travel, and research operations support (rejected by a recorded vote of 142 ayes to 271 noes, Roll No. 202); **Pages H5676–85**

The Scott amendment that sought to increase funding for NASA Advanced Subsonic Technology (rejected by a recorded vote of 157 ayes to 250 noes, Roll No. 204); **Pages H5687–90**

The Roemer amendment that sought to eliminate authorization for the Space Station (rejected by a recorded vote of 127 ayes to 286 noes, Roll No. 205); **Pages H5690–95**

The Roemer amendment that sought to decrease funding for the Space Station by \$75 million (rejected by a recorded vote of 146 ayes to 269 noes, Roll No. 206); **Pages H5695–97**

The Brown of California amendment in the nature of a substitute to the agreed-to Wamp amendment that sought to increase funding for the National Weather Service by \$26 million; **Pages H5701–04**

The Lofgren amendment that sought to remove the prohibition on funding authorized for the climate change action plan (rejected by a recorded vote of 197 ayes to 211 noes, Roll No. 207); and **Pages H5705–09, H5711–12**

The Jackson-Lee amendment that sought to remove the prohibition on funding authorized for the environmental technology initiative (rejected by a recorded vote of 192 ayes to 209 noes, Roll No. 208). **Pages H5710–11, H5712–13**

The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, and cross-references, and to make

such other technical and conforming changes as may be necessary in the engrossment of the bill. **Page H5724**

**Concurrent Resolution on the Budget:** House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H. Con. Res. 178, establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1997 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002, and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees from the Committee on the Budget, for consideration of the House concurrent resolution and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Kasich, Hobson, Walker, Kolbe, Shays, Herger, Sabo, Stenholm, Slaughter, and Coyne. **Pages H5725–32**

Rejected the Sabo motion to instruct conferees to agree to the Senate-passed levels of discretionary spending, as set by the amendment offered by Senator Domenici; to agree to section 325 of the Senate-passed resolution, relating to "balance billing" of Medicare patients by health care providers; to agree to section 326 of the Senate-passed resolution, relating to Federal nursing home quality standards; and to agree to section 327 of the Senate-passed resolution, relating to protection under the Medicaid program against spousal impoverishment (rejected by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 187 yeas to 205 nays, Roll No. 209). **Pages H5725–32**

**Legislative Program:** The Majority Leader announced the legislative program for the week of June 3. Agreed to adjourn from Friday to Tuesday. **Pages H5732–35**

**Late Report:** The Committee on the Judiciary received permission to have until 5 p.m. on Friday, May 31 to file a report on H.R. 2650, to amend title 18, United States Code, to eliminate certain sentencing inequities for drug offenders. **Page H5735**

**Meeting Hour:** Agreed to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 4. **Page H5735**

**Calendar Wednesday:** Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 5. **Page H5735**

**Amendments:** Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on page H5754.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Three ye-a-and-nay votes and eight recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H5649–50, H5672–73, H5673–74, H5684–85, H5685, H5689–90, H5694–95, H5696–97, H5712, H5712–13, and H5731–32. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 11:47 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Agriculture:* Subcommittee on Resource Conservation, Research, and Forestry approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 2023, amended, to provide for a land exchange between the Ironton Country Club of Ironton, OH, and the Secretary of Agriculture involving Wayne National Forest; H.R. 3387, to designate the Southern Piedmont Conservation Research Center located at 1420 Experimental Station Road in Watkinsville, GA, as the "J. Phil Campbell, Senior Natural Resources Conservation Center"; H.R. 2670, amended, to provide for the release of the reversionary interest held by the United States in certain property located in the County of Iosco, MI; and H.R. 3464, amended, to make a minor adjustment in the exterior boundary of the Devils Backbone Wilderness in the Mark Twain National Forest, MO, to exclude a small parcel of land containing improvements.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on those measures and on the following bills: H.R. 1223, to amend the act of June 15, 1938, to extend the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture to purchase lands within the boundaries of certain National Forests in the State of California to include the Angeles National Forest and to expand the purpose for which such purchases may be made; and H.R. 3541, to provide for an exchange of lands with the city of Greeley, CO, and the Water Supply and Storage Co. to eliminate private inholdings in wilderness areas, to cause instream flows to be created above a wild and scenic river, to eliminate potential development on private inholdings within the forest boundary, to reduce the need for future water reservoirs, to reduce the number of Federal land uses authorizations, and to improve the security of the water supply of the city and the company. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cremeans and Barcia; Janice McDougle, Associate Deputy Chief, National Forest System, USDA.

### AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, FDA, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies approved for full Committee action the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1997.

### VA, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Veterans Affairs, Housing and Urban Development and Independent Agencies approved for full Committee action the Veterans Affairs, Housing and Urban Development and Independent Agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1997.

### MANAGED CARE

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Health and Environment held a hearing on Contract Issues and Quality Standards for Managed Care. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### PROMOTING NATURAL GAS VEHICLES—FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S ROLE

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the Federal Government's Role in Promoting Natural Gas Vehicles. Testimony was heard from Kyle Simpson, Associate Deputy for Programs, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

### IDEA IMPROVEMENT ACT

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities:* Ordered reported amended H.R. 3268, IDEA Improvement Act of 1996.

### BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight:* Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice held a hearing on Ballistic Missile Defense: Responding to the Current Ballistic Missile Threat. Testimony was heard from Representative Weldon of Pennsylvania; R. James Woolsey, former Director, CIA; and public witnesses.

### U.S. ROLE—IRANIAN ARMS TRANSFERS—BOSNIA AND CROATIA

*Committee on International Relations:* Held a hearing on the U.S. Role in Iranian Arms Transfers to Bosnia and Croatia. Testimony was heard from Charles E. Redman, U.S. Ambassador to Germany; and Peter W. Galbraith, U.S. Ambassador to Croatia.

### SOUTHEAST ASIA REGIONAL SECURITY

*Committee on International Relations:* Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific held a hearing on Southeast Asia Regional Security: Dragons, Dominoes, and Dynamos. Testimony was heard from Winston Lord, Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; Kurt Campbell, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of Defense; Gen. Michael Carns, USAF (Ret.),

former Vice Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force; and public witnesses.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on the Constitution approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 3434, amended, Revolving Door Act of 1996; H.R. 3435, amended, Lobbying Disclosure Technical Amendments Act of 1996; and H.R. 3396, Defense of Marriage Act.

#### OVERSIGHT—MINERAL RESOURCES SURVEY PROGRAMS

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources held an oversight hearing on the mineral resources survey programs of the United States Geological Survey. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: P. Patrick Lahey, Chief Geologist, U.S. Geological Survey; and W. Hord Tipton, Assistant Director, Resource Use and Protection, Bureau of Land Management; Jonathan G. Price, Director/State Geologist, Bureau of Mines and Geology, State of Nevada; and public witnesses.

#### NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARIES PRESERVATION ACT; FEDERAL OCEANOGRAPHIC COORDINATION IMPROVEMENT ACT

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 3487, amended, National Marine Sanctuaries Preservation Act; and H.R. 3537, Federal Oceanographic Coordination Improvement Act of 1996.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3147, to provide for the exchange of certain Federal lands in the State of California managed by the Bureau of Land Management of certain non-Federal lands; H.R. 2135, to provide for the correction of boundaries of certain lands in Clark County, NV, acquired by persons who purchased such lands in good faith reliance on existing private land surveys; and H.R. 2711, to provide for the substitution of timber for the canceled Elkhorn Ridge timber sale. Testimony was heard from Representatives Radanovich and Riggs; Mat Millenbach, Deputy Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

#### FOREIGN OPERATIONS, EXPORT FINANCING AND RELATED PROGRAMS APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 3540, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997. The rule waives points of order against consideration of the bill for failing to comply with clause 1(b) of rule X (requiring a detailed explanation in the committee report on any rescissions or transfers of unexpected balances), or clause 7 of rule XXI (the 3-day requirement for availability of printed hearings and reports).

The rule provides that the bill shall be considered by title rather than by paragraph and that each title shall be considered as read. The rule waives points of order against provisions in the bill which do not comply with clause 2 of rule XXI (prohibiting unauthorized appropriations and legislation on general appropriation bills), clause 5(b) of rule XXI (prohibiting the reporting of legislation carrying a tax or tariff by any committee not having jurisdiction), and clause 6 of rule XXI (prohibiting transfers of unobligated balances), except as specified in the rule.

The rule accords priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The chairman of the Committee on the Whole may postpone recorded votes on any amendment and the chairman may reduce voting time on postponed questions to 5 minutes, provided that the vote takes place immediately following another recorded vote and that the voting time on the first in a series of questions be not less than 15 minutes.

The rule provides that if a motion to rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted is offered by the Majority Leader or a designee, after the reading of the final lines of the bill, it shall have precedence over a motion to amend. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit, with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Callahan and Wilson.

#### EPA'S COMPLIANCE WITH PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on Government Programs held a hearing on the EPA's compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Thomas E. Kelly, Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Evaluation, Office of Policy, Planning, and Evaluation, EPA.

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Subcommittee on Aviation approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 3267, Child Pilot Safety Act; H.R. 3536, Airline Pilot Hiring and Safety Act; and H.R. 3539, amended, Federal Aviation Authorization Act of 1996.

## VETERANS LEGISLATION

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Subcommittee on Education, Training, Employment and Housing approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 2851, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for approval of enrollment in courses offered at certain branches or extensions of proprietary profit institutions of higher learning in operation for more than 2 years; and H.R. 3459, to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend the enhanced loan asset sale authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Veterans Preference, Reduction-in-Force, Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA) and on a proposed VA education services measure. Testimony was heard from Representative Mica; Preston Taylor, Assistant Secretary, Veterans Employment and Training, Department of Labor; James B. King, Director, OPM; Celia Dollarhide, Director, Education Service, Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; representatives of veterans organizations; and public witnesses.

## BOSNIA/IRAN ARMS

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Met in executive session to hold a hearing on Bosnia/Iran Arms. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D510)

H.R. 1743, to amend the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 to extend the authorization of appropriations through fiscal year 2000. Signed May 24, 1996. (P.L. 104-147)

H.R. 1836, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire property in the town of East Hampton, Suffolk County, New York, for inclusion in the Amagansett National Wildlife Refuge. Signed May 24, 1996. (P.L. 104-148)

H.R. 2066, to amend the National School Lunch Act to provide greater flexibility to schools to meet the Dietary Guidelines for Americans under the school lunch and school breakfast programs. Signed May 29, 1996. (P.L. 104-149)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY,  
MAY 31, 1996

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

## Senate

No meetings are scheduled.

## House

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities,* Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Training and Life-Long Learning, hearing on H.R. 2428, to encourage the donation of food and grocery products to nonprofit organizations for distribution to needy individuals by giving the Model Good Samaritan Food Donation Act the full force and effect of law, 9 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of June 3 through 8, 1996

## Senate Chamber

On *Monday and Tuesday*, Senate will resume consideration of a motion to proceed to the consideration of S. 1635, Defend America Act, with a cloture vote to occur on the motion on Tuesday, June 4, 1996, at 2:15 p.m.

During the balance of the week Senate may consider H.R. 3230, National Defense Authorization Act, any legislative and executive items, and conference reports cleared for consideration.

(Senate will recess on Tuesday, June 4, 1996, from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. for respective party conferences.)

## Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* June 5, to hold hearings to examine proposals to reform the Commodity Exchange Act, 9:30 a.m., SR-328A.

*Committee on Appropriations:* June 4 and 5, Subcommittee on Defense, Tuesday, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year for the Department of Defense, focusing on the chemical demilitarization program, 9:30 a.m.; Wednesday, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of Defense, focusing on medical programs, 10 a.m.; Tuesday in SD-138 and Wednesday in SD-192.

June 5, Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on peacekeeping and international organizations and programs, 10 a.m., SD-138.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* June 6, Subcommittee on Parks, Historic Preservation and Recreation, to hold hearings on S. 1703, to revitalize and expand the scope of operations of the National Park Foundation to assist in the preservation of America's national parks, 2 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* June 4, to hold hearings on S. 1730, to revise the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 to prevent oilspills and to improve the response to the environmental and economic injuries from oilspills that do occur, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* June 4, to hold hearings on United Nations world conferences, 10 a.m., SD-419.

June 5, Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs, to hold hearings to examine the foreign policy implications of China most-favored-nation status, 10 a.m., SD-419.

June 6, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the consequences of most-favored-nation renewal for China, 2 p.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* June 5, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, to resume hearings to examine the security status of American information systems, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

June 6, Full Committee, to hold oversight hearings on Internal Revenue Service financial management, 10 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* June 4, to hold hearings on S. 1237, to revise certain provisions of law relating to child pornography, 10 a.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Labor and Human Resources:* June 5, business meeting, to mark up S. 1221, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1996 through 2000 for the Legal Services Corporation, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Small Business:* June 5, to hold oversight hearings on the implementation of the small business agenda, 10 a.m., SR-428A.

*Special Committee on Aging:* June 5, to hold hearings to examine how the Supplemental Security Income and the Disability Income programs can be reformed to encourage more people to enter into productive employment, 9 a.m., SD-562.

### House Committees

*Committee on Agriculture,* June 5, hearing to review trade opportunities in the Pacific Rim, 9:30 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

June 6, Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry, hearing to consider state meat and poultry inspection, 9 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations,* June 5, Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, hearing on D.C. Management/Operating Improvements, 10 a.m., H-144 Capitol.

*Committee on Commerce,* June 6, hearing on H.R. 3507, Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Act of 1996, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities,* June 6, Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations, hearing on Retirement Crisis Ahead?: Exploring Ways to Simplify and Expand Pensions, 10 a.m., 2261 Rayburn.

June 6, Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Training and Life-Long Learning, hearing on H.R. 2416, Open Campus Police Logs Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight,* June 5, Subcommittee on Civil Service, to continue hearings on

Further Downsizing and Reinvention, Part II, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

June 6, Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations, oversight hearing on the Department of Education's Management of Access to Federal Student Aid Programs, 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations,* June 5, to meet to authorize a subpoena to compel testimony of a representative from the AID, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

June 6, Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere, hearing on the War on Drugs in the Western Hemisphere: Fact or Fiction? 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* June 5, Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, oversight hearing regarding the performance of the SSA's Administrative Law Judges of Mobile, Alabama, and related issues, 10 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

June 6, Subcommittee on Crime, hearing on S. 1507, Parole Commission Phaseout Act of 1995, 9:30 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

*Committee on National Security,* June 6, hearing on U.S. national interests in the Post-Cold-War world, 9:30 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources,* June 4, oversight hearing on GAO Report on public timber, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

June 6, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, oversight hearing on Royalty-In-Kind: Oversight of the Minerals Management Service's current and past royalty-in-kind programs for crude oil, 2 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

June 6, Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans, oversight hearing on "Teaming With Wildlife", 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

June 6, Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Lands, hearing on the following: H.R. 2122, to designate the Lake Tahoe Basin National Forest in the States of California and Nevada to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture; H.R. 2438, to provide for the conveyance of lands to certain individuals in Gunnison County, Colorado; H.R. 2518, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to exchange lands in the Wenatchee National Forest, Washington, for certain lands owned by Public Utility District No. 1 of Chelan County, Washington; H.R. 2693, to require the Secretary of Agriculture to make a minor adjustment in the exterior boundary of Hells Canyon Wilderness in Oregon and Idaho to exclude an established Forest Service road inadvertently included in the wilderness; H.R. 2709, to provide for the conveyance of certain land to the Del Norte County Unified School District of Del Norte County, California; H.R. 3146, to provide for the exchanges of certain Federal lands in the State of California for certain non-Federal lands; and H.R. 3547, to provide for the conveyance of a parcel of real property in the Apache National Forest in Arizona to the Alpine Elementary School District 7 to be used for the construction of school facilities and related playing fields, 9 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Science*, June 4, Subcommittee on Technology, hearing on the increasing importance of International Standards to the U.S. Industrial Community and the Impact of ISO 14000. 1:30 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

June 6, Subcommittee on Technology, hearing on Patent System and Modern Technology Needs: Meeting the Challenge of the 21st Century, 10 a.m., 2325 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, June 6, hearing on the proposed reforms of the Small Business Investment Company Program, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, June 5, Subcommittee on Surface Transportation, to continue hearings on ISTEA Reauthorization Maintaining Adequate Infrastructure: the Interstate Maintenance National Highway System, Bridge and Reimbursement Programs, 9:30 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, June 5, Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension, Insurance and Memorial Affairs, hearing on the Department of Veterans Affairs computer

modernization effort as it relates to an overall strategic plan within the Department, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, June 4, Subcommittee on Oversight, hearing on Employment Classification Issues, 9:30 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

June 4, Subcommittee on Social Security, hearing on the use of Social Security Trust Fund money to finance union activities at the SSA, 2 p.m., B-318 Rayburn.

June 6, full Committee, hearing on the Financial Condition of the Medicare Program, 9:30 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, June 6, executive, hearing on Bosnia, 2 p.m., H-405 Capitol.

### Joint Meetings

*Joint Economic Committee*: June 7, to hold hearings to examine the employment-unemployment situation for May, 9:30 a.m., SD-562.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

1:30 p.m., Monday, June 3

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Monday:** After the recognition of certain Senators and the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 3:30 p.m.), Senate will resume consideration of a motion to proceed to consideration of S. 1635, Defend America Act.

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

9 a.m., Friday, May 31

## House Chamber

**Program for Friday:** No legislative business is scheduled.

## Extensions of Remarks, as inserted in this issue

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